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In re the Application of

Naoyuki KOBAYASHI et al.

Group Art Unit: 2882

Application No.: 10/588,297

Examiner:

M. ASFAW

Filed: August 2, 2006 Docket No.: 128977

For:

EXPOSURE APPARATUS, EXPOSURE METHOD, AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired October 22, 2011, an extension of time for a period of three months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 242878 in the amount of \$1270 in payment for: Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$150.00) Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$560.00)

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## LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR **CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued examination.

Applicants further request entry and consideration of the attached submission.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 242877 in the amount of X \$930.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated for this filing to Deposit Account No. 15-0461.

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